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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Byrd Scholars

FROM: Dana Kelly, Manager
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RE: Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program RENEWAL 2006-2007

We are still waiting for final notification that Congress will approve funding of this scholarship program for the school year 2005-2006, but we are taking renewal applications in anticipation of continued funding. Please download and return the following renewal application. The same provisions apply as when originally awarded.

The distribution of the federal funds to the State of Idaho is not expected until August or September of 2006. Funds for this scholarship may not be available at your institution until after your fall payment is due. Please keep this in mind as you make your financial plans for school. I will send email notification when funds are sent to your institution.

Mail the completed renewal application along with a copy of your most recent transcript by February 13, 2006 to:

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**ROBERT C. BYRD
HONORS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

**IDAHO RENEWAL APPLICATION FORM
SCHOOL YEAR 2006-2007**

SECTION I - IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

NAME _____
(Last) (First) (M.I.)

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____

HOME ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____
(Street and Number)

(City) (State) (Zip)

STUDENT'S COLLEGE ADDRESS _____
(Street and Number)

(City) (State) (Zip)

E-MAIL _____ PHONE _____

PROJECTED DATE OF GRADUATION _____

INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION'S ADDRESS/OFFICE DISPENSING SCHOLARSHIP MONIES :
Please be as specific as possible to insure timely arrival of scholarship.

(Name of University/College/Scholarship or Financial Aid Office)

(Street and Number)

(City) (State) (Zip)

SECTION II - SELECTION CRITERIA

Please include a current transcript of college grades up through and including last semester.
(NOTE: A transcript issued to the student, and so noted, is acceptable.)

1. Current Grade Point Average _____
2. Cumulative Grade Point Average _____
3. Grade level in **Fall 2006** (circle one): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

SECTION III - ASSURANCES

I hereby affirm:

1. That I am a United States citizen, national or permanent resident.
2. That I have not defaulted on student loans.
3. That I am enrolled full-time, and am a student in good standing at, an undergraduate academic or vocational program in a public or private institution of higher education as defined in the Student Assistance General Provisions, 34 CFR Part 668.2.
4. That I am pursuing my first degree, certificate, diploma, or other approved award that demonstrates successful completion of a course of study requiring at least a one-year training program as defined in the Student Assistance General Provisions, 34 CFR Part 668.3.
5. That I will use the funds of the scholarship, if awarded, for educational costs only, which are described as follows: "Student costs for tuition, fees, room and board, or expenses related to reasonable commuting, books, and such other expenses reasonably related to attendance at a post-secondary educational institution."
6. That this award will be returned to the Idaho State Department of Education if I fail to return to the institution of higher education as affirmed above in (3), or if the amount of scholarship monies I receive exceeds the total cost of attendance, or if I am ineligible for the monies.
7. That I will comply with all the provisions of the Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program as promulgated by the State of Idaho.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2006

Signature of Student _____

Please sign and date the following

"CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR FEDERAL ASSISTANCE IN CERTAIN PROGRAMS"

and return with application.

Certification of Eligibility for Federal Assistance In Certain Programs

I understand that 34 CFR 75.60, 75.61, and 75.62 require that I make specific certifications of eligibility to the U.S. Department of Education as a condition of applying for Federal funds in certain programs and that these requirements are in addition to any other eligibility requirements that the U.S. Department of Education imposes under program regulations. Under 34 CFR 75.60 – 75.62:

I. I Certify that:

A. I do not owe a debt, or I am current in repaying a debt, or I am not in default (as that term is used at 34 CFR Part 668 on a debt):

1. To the Federal government under a nonprocurement transaction (e.g., a previous loan, scholarship, grant, or cooperative agreement); or
2. For a fellowship, scholarship, stipend, discretionary grant, or loan in any program of the U.S. Department of Education that is subject to 34 CFR 75.60, 75.61, and 75.62, including:
 - Federal Pell Grant Program (20 U.S.C. 1070a, et seq.);
 - Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant [SEOG] Program (20 U.S.C. 1070b, et seq.);
 - State Student Incentive Grant Program [SSIG] (20 U.S.C. 1070c, et seq.);
 - Federal Perkins Loan Program (20 U.S.C. 1087aa, et seq.);
 - Income Contingent Direct Loan Demonstration Project (20 U.S.C. 1087a, note);
 - Federal Stafford Loan Program, Federal Supplemental Loans for Students [SLS], Federal PLUS, or Federal Consolidation Loan Program (20 U.S.C. 2601, et seq.);
 - Cuban Student Loan Program (20 U.S.C. 2601, et seq.);
 - Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program (20 U.S.C. 1070d-31, et seq.);
 - Jacob K. Javits Fellows Program (20 U.S.C. 1134h-1134l);
 - Patricia Roberts Harris Fellowship Program (20 U.S.C. 1134d-1134g);
 - Christa McAuliffe Fellowship Program (20 U.S.C. 1104-1106l);
 - Bilingual Education Fellowship Program (20 U.S.C. 3221-3262);
 - Rehabilitation Long-Term Training Program (29 U.S.C. 774(b));
 - Paul Douglas Teacher Scholarship Program (20 U.S.C. 1104, et seq.);
 - Law Enforcement Education Program (42 U.S.C. 3775);
 - Indian Fellowship Program (29 U.S.C. 774(b));

Or

- B. I have made arrangements satisfactory to the U.S. Department of Education to repay a debt as described in A.1. or A.2. (Above) on which I had not been current in repaying or on which I was in default (as that term is used in 34 CFR Part 668).

- II. I certify also that I have not been declared by a judge, as a condition of sentencing under Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (21 U.S.C. 862), ineligible to receive Federal assistance for the period of this requested funding.

I understand that providing a false certification to any of the statements above makes me liable for repayment to the U.S. Department of Education for funds received on the basis of this certification, for civil penalties, and for criminal prosecution under 18 U.S.C. 1001.

(Typed or Printed Name)

(Signature)

(Date)